

## JAIL OAKDALE THIEVES

Dan Fairchilds and Dwight Valentine Arrested.

STOLE WATCHES OF C. B. GREBE

Fairchilds Pawned the Gold Watch in Omaha, Where It Was Located by the Sheriff Yesterday—Confesses to the Robbery.

[From Wednesday's Daily.]  
Neligh, Neb., March 9.—Special to The News: Dwight Valentine and Dan Fairchilds, two young men of Antelope county, are in jail here on the charge of robbery. Valentine was arrested at Oakdale and Fairchilds was caught in Omaha yesterday by Sheriff Friesbie. They are alleged to have stolen watches from C. B. Grebe, of Oakdale.

On about February 20 Mr. Grebe, who is a section foreman at Oakdale, missed a gold watch and a silver watch. Suspicion rested upon these two men. At the depot the fellows feared detection and this morning Fairchilds confessed that they had gone down to the stock yards and thrown the watches away, so that they could not be caught. Later he went back to get the gold watch and took it to Omaha, where he traded it to a pawn broker for a silver watch and \$7 "to boot." Sheriff Friesbie went to Omaha and located his man yesterday, returning on the passenger train last night. Valentine was arrested in Oakdale.

"If you will go down to the stock yards, you will find the silver watch, too," said Fairchilds to the sheriff this morning, and a search will be made during the day.

The preliminary hearing will be held shortly.

### Oakdale Story.

Oakdale, Neb., March 9.—Special to The News: Dwight Valentine and Dan Fairchild, both of this city, are inmates of the Antelope county jail, charged with having entered the Grebe residence here about two weeks ago and stolen a couple of watches.

Fairchild was brought back from Omaha last night by Sheriff Friesbie and placed in custody. He had gone to Omaha since the burglary was committed, and had pawned one of the watches, which was recovered. The evidence against him is therefore strong.

### ORGANIZE FARMERS' ELEVATOR

Farmers About Oakdale are Preparing to Handle Their Own Grain.

Oakdale, Neb., March 9.—Special to The News: The farmers of this vicinity are holding a meeting here today to organize a company and build a co-operative elevator. Most of the required stock has been subscribed and the meeting today is for the purpose of electing the officers and perfecting the organization.

L. B. Day of Albion is present to advise and assist in the organization of the company.

### Buried at Oakdale.

Oakdale, Neb., March 9.—Special to The News: Mrs. Ed. Hunter, died at Geneva, was buried here yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter had disposed of their household goods and their interests on the farm five miles south of here and departed for Washington. At Geneva they stopped for a visit with Mrs. Hunter's sister, and she was there taken sick and died. The remains were brought to Oakdale Monday night and the funeral held here yesterday. She leaves a husband and two small children, besides a large number of friends, to mourn her loss.

Mrs. Hunter was very well and favorably known here, having made this her home since childhood.

### OPERATOR LANDS BURGLARS.

Miss Nellie Lucas, Formerly of Neligh, a Heroine.

Very few of the Leader readers are not familiar with Nellie Lucas, formerly of this city and daughter of Thos. Lucas, proprietor of the Neligh Shoe store. A letter from Mrs. Ida Bogardus Boyd of Goldendale, Wash., indicates that this young lady has the credit by her presence of mind of landing a couple of robbers in jail. The incident occurred at Wood River and the details are given in the Oregonian of Portland, under date of February 18, as follows: "About 2 o'clock this morning Miss Lucas, night operator at the telephone office, heard the noise next door of robbers as they ransacked the dry goods store of Frank A. Cram. With sound presence of mind she at once telephoned to Deputy Sheriff H. S. Olinger, William Shipman, night clerk at the hotel, Mr. Voght, head salesman for the store, and to James Stranahan, at the livery stable, who reached the store and in a few minutes had the burglars in custody. Later several sacks of plunder were found near the depot. The men are strangers but refuse to give their names. Two months ago Miss Lucas had another thrilling experience. The city marshal had lunched too freely at one of the saloons, and, while walking up town, fired his revolver at a supposed marauder, the 44-caliber bullet crashed through the window and barely missed this same telephone operator. Miss Lucas is a pretty young girl, and deserves much

praise for her cool work of last night. The burglars were arraigned before Justice Nicholson this afternoon. Both waived examination and were bound over to answer for burglary in the circuit court at The Dalles. Deputy Sheriff Olinger, with the men in charge, left tonight for The Dalles. The men gave their names as Fred White and Al Foote."—Neligh Leader.

### FREMONT MERCHANTS AT WAR

Price Cutting on Bananas Likely to Invade Wholesale Dealers.

[From Tuesday's Daily.]  
Fremont, Neb., March 8.—Fremont retail dealers have started a banana "war" and the indications at the present time are that Lincoln and Omaha jobbers will become involved if a settlement is not reached within the next three or four days.

Saturday evening large, delicious bananas, such as usually sell on the Fremont market at 25 cents a dozen, were offered for 10 cents. The news of the cut spread rapidly and there was a great rush for the fruit. One merchant disposed of fifteen bunches after 6 o'clock Saturday evening. He received twenty more bunches Sunday morning and had disposed of nearly all of them by the middle of the afternoon.

The "war" started Saturday, consequent to a dealer who recently opened up a store here cutting the price to 15 cents a dozen for large sized bananas. A competitor, whose trade was affected perceptibly, at once reduced the price to 10 cents and placed an order for a large supply. Other merchants met the lower figure and trouble was on in earnest. Consultations were had with the jobbers who supply the respective dealers, and in east instance loyal support was promised.

"We will not let our regular customers lose on a deal of this kind," said an Omaha dealer to a Fremont merchant by telephone Saturday night. "You can depend on us."

First class bananas never before have sold for less than 20 cents a dozen on the Fremont market. At this figure the dealers claim they are unable to make a profit.

### THURSDAY TIDINGS.

E. C. Burns was up from Scribner. L. H. Lyons was over from Madison.

Emil Harston of Pierce was in the city.

Mat Boesch is in the city from Lindsay.

Wm. Glacke was down from Tilden yesterday.

John A. Ehrhardt was up from Stanton yesterday.

W. W. Young was in the city yesterday from Stanton.

Ed. Peebles was down from Bonesteel, S. D., yesterday.

H. E. McGinty and Harry McGinty were down from Lynch.

Arthur F. Mullen was a Norfolk visitor yesterday from O'Neill.

A. M. Wilson and W. J. Bague were over from Madison yesterday.

It is another of those changes for which Nebraska is somewhat noted.

The planting of the garden may just as well be postponed until this blows over.

J. H. Craiger of Des Moines, Iowa, was in the city yesterday meeting old time friends.

Charles Rice has returned from a business trip up the Bonesteel branch of the Northwestern.

Mrs. M. A. McMillan has returned from Ottawa, Ia., where she went to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law.

Guy Barnes leaves today for Tilden to accept a position in the Tilden State bank, of which E. H. Lulhart is cashier.

A brilliant blaze lighted up the heavens northeast of the city at 7:30 o'clock last evening. The color came from a prairie fire in that direction.

Harry Woodall returned from Lynch this morning with the remains of his father, who died there yesterday. The funeral has been set for this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davenport of Sioux City are coming back to Norfolk to make their home here. They have rented the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. George Reckard and will move about the first of the week.

A brick addition is to be built to the Oxnard hotel. It will be placed on the south end of the institution. The work has been let to Reynolds & Klug, contractors, and will begin immediately. Bricks have begun to be hauled for the improvement.

The supervisor of the claims department of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad has been taking pictures of the crossing on First street, at the point where Alvin Low was thrown out and badly injured several weeks ago.

It is said that geese and ducks go north three times before they remain for the season. They have now been up twice and this sort of thing will surely drive them back, so that when they go again—if the saying holds good—they will remain for the summer.

Dr. C. A. McKim received word last night that his aunt, Mrs. L. L. Langdon is dead from pneumonia. Her son died a week ago Saturday. Col. L. L. Langdon, her husband, will be remembered by a number of Norfolk people, having visited in the city at the McKim home.

## WAS TRIED FOR MURDER

John Clarke is Said to Have Known the Law.

HE WAS ACCUSED OF KILLING

His Step-Son, Al Brubaker, Says That Clark Has Been Arrested on Every Charge From Stealing of a Pin, Up—Hopes He Gets Convicted.

[From Thursday's Daily.]  
John Clarke, the Norfolk man who lies in jail at Madison awaiting trial at the next session of the district court upon a statutory charge, has been in jail before and is not unaccustomed, it would seem, to the ways of the law. According to his step-son, Al Brubaker, who is in the city from Sioux City, Clarke has been behind the bars at one time and another for many years and for various offenses ranging from the stealing of a pin to the murdering of a man.

"Clarke was on trial for murder in Sioux City," says his step-son. "He was charged with the killing of Farmer Mathews, but was acquitted by the jury. He has never served a term in the penitentiary that I know of. He has frequently been arrested for petty stealing."

In regard to the murder for which Clarke was said to have been tried, Brubaker said: "I wasn't at the trial and I don't know the details. I understood that there was a general mix-up in which they accused Clarke of sending a fatal bullet into Mathews."

"He is a bad one," continued the son of Clarke's present wife. "My mother was forced to send my two little sisters to a convent in order that they might be gotten out of the way of this beast. He was always drunk around home and made life miserable for my mother. Everybody was afraid of him."

"For the first five years after he and my mother had been living together, he didn't show so much of his diabolical nature. Then it broke out. Meanness is a good deal like the measles and the buckwheat cakes—it will break out if you only give it time. Clarke is well known to the police of Sioux City. After my mother had gone to Stanton to work in the Barnes hotel, in order to support herself honestly, we heard last week that this brute had again disgracefully brought himself into the public prints. I hope he will get a good stiff sentence."

There are just now quite a number of Norfolk people in the county jail at Madison. Some of them are awaiting trial and some of the others are serving time. Sheriff Clements, who was in the city this week, reports that they are getting along all right and that he hopes some of the time will be out before so very long. He feels, he says, quite positive that an end will come to the terms if they only wait long enough.

There's Collins, the tramp who stole Conductor Rob Craft's overcoat and was nabbed before the dawn of the following day. His time is getting along pretty well. Then there's William Zack, the cook who struck Glasenapp and flew to Omaha to get out of the way; and now comes the worst of all—this Clarke, who will no doubt be wearing a striped suit of clothes before so very many moons have passed, unless he should make a getaway.

### Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice at Norfolk, Neb., March 8, 1904:

If not called for in fifteen days will be sent to the dead letter office.

W. W. Byers, H. J. Denis, Robt. Ellis, Miss May Foreman, Mr. Matt Garrett, Mr. A. P. Hull, Miss Mary Hoemuna, M. Ed. Israel 2, Miss Jennie Livingstone, Mr. Herbert Lacey, Mr. Frank Philben, H. Woolverton.

Parties calling for any of the above please say, "advertised."

John R. Hays, P. M.

### DR. WILLIAMS' CLINIC.

Ladies of Women's Club Listen to Interesting Discourse.

An exceedingly interesting and instructive lecture was delivered before the household economic department of the Women's club yesterday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. John R. Hays, by Dr. K. W. Williams. A clinic was given upon the various methods of bringing comfort and scientific care to invalids in the sick room. With a patient as an illustrative feature, Dr. Williams showed how to prepare a bed for an invalid; and how to provide every possible comfort for the person being cared for. A large crowd of ladies listened to the discourse. They were decidedly well pleased with the afternoon.

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CUT out dotted section and send to your grocer with your next order.

In the future send me Graham Crackers, only in air tight packages bearing this trade mark of the National Biscuit Company in red and white, on each end of the package.

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Have you indigestion, constipation, headache, backache, kidney trouble? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. If it fails get your money back. That's fair. 25 cents, tea or tablet form.

Kiesau Drug Co.

Raw or Inflamed Lungs.

Yield quickly to the wonderful curative and healing qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar. It prevents pneumonia and consumption from a hard cold settled on the lungs.

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It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but wrote that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For ulcers, wounds, piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by Leonard, the druggist.

Doing the Right Thing.

The trouble begins with a tickling in the throat and a nagging little cough. Soreness in the chest follows and the patient wonders if he is going to have an all winter cold. Probably, if he does the wrong thing or nothing. Certainly not if he uses Perry Davis' Painkiller, the staunch old remedy that cures a cold in twenty-four hours. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis.

## The Man who is Looking

Constantly for opportunity to better his condition is the man who will some day succeed. If this man will apply to the

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.

he will receive such information regarding lands located on or reached by this railway as will aid him in his hunt for happiness and prosperity. Address

F. A. NASH, Gen'l Western Agent, 1524 Farnam St. OMAHA, NEB.

### Constipation. Its Cause and Cure.

A person in order to be healthy must get rid of the waste products (or poisons) of the body. Nature has provided four ways to get rid of them: The Bowels, the Kidneys, the Bladder and the pores of the Skin.

If the bowels become inactive, that portion of the food which should be thrown off lies in the intestines and decomposes, causing blood, nerve, liver and kidney trouble, and closes the pores of the skin, thus creating disease in the entire system.

You can immediately relieve and permanently cure yourself of stubborn constipation or distressing stomach trouble and perfectly regulate your kidneys and liver by taking one dose a day of DR. KESSEL'S PALMETO WINE. Any reader of this paper can secure absolutely free a bottle by writing to Drake Formula Co., Drake Building, Chicago.

A FREE trial bottle alone has brought health and vigor to many so you owe it to yourself to prove what it will do in your case. Write the company this very day.

Welcome as Sunshine

after a long storm is a feeling of relief when an obstinate cold has been driven away by Allen's Lung Balm. Only people who have been cured of throat-ache and sore lungs by this remedy can quite realize what the feeling is. There is no opium in the Balm; its good effect is radical and lasting. Take a bottle home today.

Dangers of Pneumonia.

A cold at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia which is often fatal, and even when the patient has recovered the lungs are weakened, making them peculiarly susceptible to the development of consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar will stop the cough, heal and strengthen the lungs and prevent pneumonia. Kiesau Drug Co.

A Severe Cold for Six Months.

The following letter from A. J. Nusbaum of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story. "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foley's Honey and Tar, and eight doses cured me." Refuse substitutes. Kiesau Drug Co.

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Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing Indigestion, Biliousness, Constipation, Sick Headache and all Stomach, Liver and Bowel troubles. Easy pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at Leonard's drug store.

Planting time is almost here, and it is especially reasonable to plant an ad. in The News.

### The Name Witch Hazel.

The name Witch Hazel is much abused. E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, are the inventors of the original and only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. A certain cure for Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Eczema, Tetter, Piles, etc. There are many counterfeits of this salve, some of which are dangerous, while they are all worthless. In buying Witch Hazel Salve see that the name E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, is on the box and a cure is certain. Sold by all druggists.

### Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by Asa K. Leonard, druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

### More Riots.

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the liver or kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest all around medicine for run down systems. It dispels nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia and expels malarial germs. Guaranteed by Leonard, the druggist. Sold by Leonard, the druggist.

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